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WEATHER REPORT.

April 16, 1909

Temperature—Maximum 81; minimum 32; range 49.

Humidity—6 a. m. 53; 12 m. 18; 6 p. m. 25; mean 32.

Forecast—Fair tonight and Sunday.

LOCAL NEWS.

The Crystal Ice company today put Tivoli buck beer on draught.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stern became the parents of a girl yesterday afternoon.

The best yet, Rosenthal hall tonight.

Always hot water at Nolette barber shop.

Usual dance at F. B. hall tonight, given by Mrs. O'Brien.

Mrs. Maria Ines de Ortiz, wife of Gumecindo Ortiz, residing on the east side, died at an early hour this morning, aged 57 years.

For Sale—Good 1200 pound work horse and surrey. Will sell separate. Apply at Hub.

Bacharach Bros. now occupy their grocery quarters, recently erected in the rear of their main store.

Best floor and music in town, Rosenthal hall.

WANTED—A man to work around lawn and garden. Inquire at Optic office.

John Pendaries, the old-time citizen, is reported very ill at his home in Roclada. He is 84 years of age and has resided in New Mexico 53 years.

Call up Main 276 for carnations and other cut flowers. Floral designs made up on short notice. Perry O'Neil.

David Urioste, of the town of San Miguel, qualified here this morning as road supervisor in district No. 2, furnishing a bond of office in the neat sum of \$1,000.

Why pay rent when you can buy a good 5-room brick house in good location for \$250 down and balance \$25 per month? Can you afford it? Ask The Investment and Agency Corporation.

Rev. J. S. Moore, rector of St. Paul's Memorial church of this city, returned home from Raton yesterday afternoon, where he was called on ecclesiastical business. Arrange-

ments will probably be made for him to hold Sunday morning services at the Episcopal church here, and to hold evening services at Raton, leaving here on No. 10.

At Rosenthal music by Crites & Guerin.
George Barnes, brother and mother, have leased the former R. C. Rankin property, corner of Eighth street and Washington avenue.

FOR SALE—Trees, shrubs, vines and roses for the benefit of the Las Vegas hospital. Inquire Mrs. A. D. Higgins, corner Sixth street and National avenue.

John H. Culley has turned over a large bunch of cattle at Fort Union to the purchaser, M. A. Van Houten of Cherry valley, Mora county.

The Ladies' guild has all kinds of aprons for sale at reasonable prices. Leave orders with Mrs. William J. Mills.

The Sunflower Circle of King's Daughters of the Third Presbyterian church, Topeka, Kan., has kindly donated a chair to the Las Vegas hospital, in memory of Miss Jennie Sharp, who died at the institution.

Y. M. C. A. Men's meeting, Sunday 4 p. m. T. J. Talley will speak. All men invited.

An insurance of \$8,500 has been placed on the new armory building in this city, the policies being distributed among different agencies.

Charles J. Lantry, the veteran railroad builder, for many years connected with one of the biggest contracting firms in the country, was in Albuquerque on business yesterday.

Swallows, little harbingers of spring, were seen for the first time this season in numbers by observant and delighted citizens this morning.

A baby boy, has come to make its home with Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Buchanan, corner Fourth street and Washington avenue. A girl, who has been in Las Vegas several days, is at home with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith.

50 and 35 cent tickets sold by the school children for "Cinderella" which will appear at the Duncan opera house Friday evening, April 23rd, will be redeemable for reserved seats at the box office Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

A small army of dandelion fighters is employed on the Castaneda lawns, an example that should be emulated on every lawn in town and city. A war of extermination must be waged or else the little yellow fellows will kill out the grass from its very roots.

Practically everything in the line of clothing, flags, equipment of the signal corps of the national guard of New Mexico, was stolen from the new national guard armory at Roswell. Worn out clothing not worth stealing, was stripped of brass buttons. The loss will fall upon Lieut. Charles Whiteman, who is under bond for the safekeeping of the equipment.

The present officers of Las Vegas hospital, formerly known as the ladies' home, are: Mrs. A. D. Higgins, president; Mrs. W. A. Dow, secretary; Mrs. J. P. Vollmer, corresponding secretary and Mrs. G. W. Hartman, treasurer, a place filled by the late Mrs. W. G. Koogler for several years.

The big real estate transfer by Dr. R. A. Morley, of this city, referred to in a press telegram appearing elsewhere in The Optic this evening, is the trading of the Phoenix ranch farm of 2,850 acres in Mora county, at one time owned by the late Col. R. G. Head, for what is known as the Kenilwood apartment house on 42nd street in the city of Chicago. It is understood that the Chicago property is valued at \$400,000, but is mortgaged for \$170,000.

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Embroideries, 10c yd.
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Gordon Raywood who had been employed as a machinist in the local railroad shops for a number of years, left for Clovis this afternoon, to which point he has been transferred in the service of the Santa Fe company. His wife will remain with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Raywood, for the present.

J. C. Rummel, residing some sixteen miles from this place, is in the city with Mrs. Rummel, who is at Las Vegas hospital, she having undergone a difficult surgical operation, but is now reported as doing nicely.

Arthur Whiting, who has filled the position of engine dispatcher at the local railroad shops, leaves on No. 7 this evening for his new job at Clovis. His wife will remain here and conduct the store on Sixth street.

BASEBALL SCORES.

American League.

At Detroit—Detroit 4, Chicago 4.

At Washington—Washington 1, Boston 6.

At St. Louis—St. Louis 1, Cleveland 2.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 4, New York 0.

National League.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 2, Pittsburgh 1.

At New York—Brooklyn 0, New York 3.

At Chicago—Chicago 1, St. Louis 3.

At Boston—Boston 2, Philadelphia 0.

American Association.

At Kansas City—Kansas City 2, Minneapolis 1.

At Indianapolis—Indianapolis 7, Toledo 3.

At Milwaukee—Milwaukee 1, St. Paul 1.

At Louisville—Louisville 3, Columbus 2.

NOTICE.

Any person desiring a copy of the new game and fish laws can have the same by applying to the deputy game warden. The new law has been in force since March 18, 1909, and it is compulsory for every sportsman to take out a license at once as the law will be strictly enforced. The county clerk will issue the desired license. R. W. SMITH, Deputy Game Warden.

Saturday Specials

Radishes, Lettuce,
Asparagus, Spinach,
Young Onions, Soup bouches,
Rhubarb,
New Cabbage,
Fresh Tomatoes,
Fresh Strawberreis.

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200 to 1,000 lbs. " " 40c " "
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